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Naples, December 26, N. S.

ON the 11th Inſtant, the Duke of Medina Celi arrived here from Spain; he comes as Ambaſſador Extraordinary and Proxy from his Catholick Majeſty, to the Chriſtening of the young Prince of Calabria; and on the 19th he was introduced to the Queen of Naples, to whom he delivered ſeveral Things of Value, which he had brought with him as Preſents from the Queen of Spain. The Nobility of Sicily have petitioned the King to diſpenſe with their ſerving in the young Prince of Calabria's Life Guards without Pay. By a Repreſentation from the Magiſtrates of Health of Palermo, in relation to the Leghorn Veſſel which arrived at Melazzo from Patras, and was ſuſpected of having the Plague on Board, the ſaid Veſſel was admitted to unload on the 11th at Malta; it appearing, on the ſtricteſt Examination, that all their Suſpicions were entirely groundleſs, and that the five Perſons, who were ſaid to have been indiſpoſed with the Plague, were only ſick of Fevers, and were ſince all recovered. On the 18th, the Queen of Spain's Name-day was celebrated at Court with the uſual Solemnity; on this Occaſion their Majeſties received the Compliments of the Nobility and Foreign Miniſters; and the Prince of Medina Celi made his firſt publick Appearance, and afterwards gave a grand Entertainment to the Nobility and Officers of the Court.

Rome, December 30, N. S: On the 18th Inſtant died here the Prince of Santa Croce, formerly the Emperor's Ambaſſador to the Pope. The Pope has ſent circular Letters to the different Orders of Fryars, recommending the Collection for Building a Roman Catholick Church at Berlin; in Conſequence of which the Jeſuits have contributed very largely.

Turin, January 6. We have received Accounts that the Duke de Richelieu had marched with Four Thouſand Men into the Dutchy of Maſſa, and had there poſſeſſed himſelf of Lavenza, the Caſtle of which he had garriſoned, and provided for a Defence, before he returned to Genoa.

Hague, January 16. By an Expreſs arrived laſt Saturday from Arnheim, we are informed, that the States of Guelderland, after they had made void the Obligation of the Oath taken by the Prince of Orange, to obſerve the Inſtructions that were given him in the Year 1722, when he

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he was declared Stadtholder of that Province, had reſolved that his Highneſs's new Commiſſion ſhould be in every Reſpect the ſame as that of King William. In Conſequence of which, they give up to the Prince of Orange, not only the Nomination of the Magiſtrates in all their Towns, but likewiſe the Diſpoſal of all Civil and Military Employments, and the Nomination of the Deputies both from the Nobility and Towns to all the Colleges belonging either to their Province, or to the Union. And theſe Prerogatives, with the Dignity of Stadtholder, are made hereditary in his Highneſs's Family, according to the Settlement made in the Province of Holland. The States of Guelderland have likewiſe taken the Reſolution of raiſing the Tax of Two per Cent. in their Province.

Extract of a Letter from Captain Arbuthnot, of His Majeſty's Ship the Tryton in Portland Road, dated the 16th of January 1747.

On the 11th Inſtant, in the Latitude of 47 : 50 N° 142 Leagues to the Weſtward of the Lizard, we eſpied a Sail, to which we gave Chace, came up with and took her : She proved the Tyger of Bayonne, had been out fourteen Days, and taken two Dutch Ships, and one Engliſh Sloop from Cork to Georgia ; ſhe mounts fourteen Guns ſix Pounders ; ſhe brought out with her One hundred and fifty ſix Men, but when taken ſhe had only One hundred and thirty ſix Men on board.

Whitehall, January 16, 1747.

Whereas it has been repreſented to the King, that Mrs. Elizabeth Barham, of Great Groſvenor-ſtreet, and her two Daughters, were ſtopt on Monday the 4th Inſtant, in South Audley-ſtreet, by two Highwaymen on Horſeback, and robbed by one of them of Money, and of a Watch ſet with Diamonds, and other Things of a conſiderable Value; and on Saturday the 9th they were again ſtopped by the ſame Perſons, and robbed by the ſame Man : His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſon or Perſons who were concerned in the ſaid Robberies, is pleaſed to promiſe his moſt gracious Pardon to any one of the Offenders who ſhall diſcover his or their Accomplice or Accomplices (except the Perſon who actually committed the ſaid Robbery) ſo as he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

CHESTERFIELD.

I do hereby promiſe a Reward of Twenty Guineas, over and above the Reward allowed by Act of Parliament, to any one of the Accomplices, or any other Perſon, (except him who committed the Robbery) who ſhall diſcover the Perſon or Perſons that were concerned in the above Robbery, ſo that he or they may be convicted thereof; to be paid upon ſuch Conviction by me

Great Groſvenor Street. Eliz. Barham.

Navy Office, January 8, 1747.

The Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that there is in the Hands of the Treaſurer of the Navy, Money to pay the Intereſt due on the 31ſt Day of December 1747, *on Navy and Tranſport Bills regiſtred between the 1ſt of October* 1746, *and the 30th of June* 1747, *that all Perſons poſſeſſed of ſuch Bills may at any Time carry them to the Treaſurer's Office in Broad-ſtreet, and receive the Intereſt due thereon, and have the ſame wrote off upon the Bills.*

Briſtol, December 22, 1747.

This is to give Notice, that the Prize Money due to the ſeveral Perſons who were on board the Blandford Privateer at her taking the French and Spaniſh Ships, viz. Mignonett, Levrier, Poſtillion, Priape, and St. Phillip, will be paid on Friday the 22d of January next, at the Sign of the Unicorn on the New Back, and continue every Friday until the whole is paid.

London, Jan. 18, 1747.

A General Court of the Company of Proprietors for Recovering and Preſerving the Navigation of the River DEE, will be held at their Office in St. Swithin's Lane on Thurſday the 4th of February next, at Eleven a-Clock in the Forenoon, being an Half Yearly Court ; of which all concerned are deſired to take Notice.

Advertiſements.

Monday the 11th Day of January, in the Twenty-firſt Year of the Reign of his Majeſty King George the Second, 1747. between Roſſer Philip, Plaintiff ; Barbarah Thomas David otherwiſe Barbarah Thomas George, Defendant.

UPON the humble Petition of the Plaintiff this Day preferred unto the Right Honourable the Maſter of the Rolls, for the Reaſons therein and in the Affidavit therein mentioned, contained, it is ordered, That the Defendant do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the 20th Day of February next.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Robert Glaſs, of Sandy-lane in the County of Wilts, Vintner, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 8th and 9th of February next, and on the 1ſt of March following, at Ten in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Meſſ. Freeman and Winpenny, Vintners, ſituate in Corn-ſtreet in the City of Briſtol, called the Three Tons Tavern, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects ; when and where the Creditors

to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Charles Hawkins, Attorney, in Briſtol.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Coſsley, of the City of Briſtol, Bookſeller and Stationer, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th and 28th of February next, and on the 1ſt of March following, (and not on the 22d and 23d of January Inſtant, and the 25th of February, as by Miſtake inſerted in laſt Tueſday's Gazette) at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Mathew Meace, Vintner, called or known by the Sign of the Nag's Head in Wine-ſtreet in the City of Briſtol, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Henry Boſtock, now or late of the Pariſh of St. Paul Covent Garden in the County of Middleſex, Mercer, intend to meet on the 17th Day of February next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Francis Woodmaſs, of Morpeth in the County of Northumberland, Mercer, intend to meet on the 20th Day of February next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Hinde, of Holborne in the County of Middleſex, Merchant, intend to meet on the 10th Day of February next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Smith, of the Pariſh of St. Alban Wood-ſtreet, London, Grocer, intend to meet on the 6th Day of February next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame; and the Perſons, who have made any Claims, are to come prepared to perfect the ſame into a Proof.

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